NOVEMBER/DECEMBER 2024

FABC15C/CABC15C/BABC15C — BIOCHEMISTRY I (Allied)

Time: Three hours

Maximum: 75 marks



SECTION A — $(10 \times 2 = 20 \text{ marks})$

Answer ALL questions.

How do you identify an anomeric carbon?

- 2. State the D and L enantiomers.
- 3. How do you increase protein solubility?
- 4. Is alanine polar or nonpolar?
- 5. Which structure of protein is highly stable?
- 6. How do peptide bonds affect protein structure?
- 7. Is cholesterol a lipid?
- 8. What causes low bile production?
- 9. An ATP is polynucleotide Note two points.
- 10. What are codons and Anticodons?

SECTION B — $(5 \times 5 = 25 \text{ marks})$

Answer ALL questions.

11. (a) Write the function of disaccharides.

Or

- (b) Explain the main function of polysaccharides.
- 12. (a) Explain in brief about the reaction between ninhydrin and amino acid.

Or

- (b) Write the acidic and basic properties of amino acid.
- 13. (a) Discuss the tertiary structure of proteins.

Or

- (b) Demonstrate the different classes of protein according to its solubility.
- 14. (a) Distinguish between simple and compound lipids.

Or

(b) Write in brief about the bile salts and bile pigments.

Or

(b) Distinguish between nucleotide and nucleoside.

SECTION C — $(3 \times 10 = 30 \text{ marks})$

Answer any THREE questions.

Explain in detail about Haworth structures of monosaccharides.

- 17. What is isoelectric point and why is isoelectric pH of protein important in isolation?
- 18. Describe the physical properties of protein.
- 19. Compile the physical and chemical properties of fats.
- 20. Write in elaborate the structure, function and types RNAs.

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